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# THIRD PARTY ORGANIZED AT LANSING

## •RED LEADERS DEMAND NEW CZECH REGIME

## •PRESIDENT BENES SITS TIGHT IN CABINET SPLIT

By A. L. GOLDBERG

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Feb. 21 (P)—Czechoslovakian Premier Klement Gottwald, speaking to thousands at a public rally, demanded a new government from top to bottom today in this buffer state between Russia and the west.

His followers, standing in the old town square, cheered him. They cried, "we are prepared," and, "long live the government of Premier Gottwald without the reactionaries."

Gottwald insisted last night that President Eduard Benes, an Independent, let him name a new cabinet without the ministers of three parties that turned in their resignations from the coalition government yesterday.

**Resignations Held Up**

President Benes sat tight in the presidential palace. He had not accepted the resignations. Technically his broad national-front government still existed.

His office said he had seen no one this morning nor had he taken any action toward dissolving the constituent national assembly and calling an election of a new parliament.

The cabinet holds power from a constituent national assembly elected in May, 1946 when the Communists polled the biggest vote. The assembly was set up to serve until a new constitution could be put into effect.

But the belief grew last night that the anti-Communist withdrawals might bring an emergency election of a new assembly even before this constitution could become effective. Some predictions were that the constituent assembly would be dissolved today and an election called within six weeks.

**Ministers Walk Out**

The committee's statement, read over the Czech radio network, said the three parties that quit had become "the opposition

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**Paroled Shotgun  
Robber at Flint  
Is Back in Prison**

Detroit, Feb. 21 (P)—James Tamer, leaders of a shotgun gang which robbed Flint bank of \$55,000 in 1934, was sent back to Southern Michigan prison today after police picked him up last night in a routine checkup.

Tamer and three other bandits robbed the Citizens Commercial and Savings bank in Flint. He was arrested five years later when his car was involved in an accident near Miami, Florida.

He was given a 15-year jail sentence in 1939, but was paroled Feb. 26, 1944.

Police nabbed Tamer Friday night in a checkup on a bar in downtown Detroit.

**Steel Price Boost  
To Be Investigated**

Washington, Feb. 21 (P)—Top leaders of the steel industry will be called before a joint congressional economic committee next Thursday to explain a general \$5-a-ton boost in steel prices.

**Weather**

Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau

**UPPER MICHIGAN: Fair and  
continued cold tonight. Sunday  
increasing cloudiness and warmer  
with occasional light snow over  
west portion by evening.**

**ESCANABA AND VICINITY:**  
Fair and not much change in tem-  
perature tonight, wind variable 8  
to 12 MPH. Sunday fair and  
warmer with increasing clouds in  
afternoon with light snow Sunday  
night, wind easterly 10 to 20 MPH.

High 25, low 0.

**Temperatures—Low Today**

**ESCANABA** High 18 Low -5

**Alpena** ... 2 **Lansing** ... 6

**Battle Creek** 5 **Los Angeles** 47

**Bismarck** -10 **Marquette** ... 0

**Brownsville** 68 **Memphis** ... 30

**Buffalo** ... 9 **Miami** ... 64

**Cadillac** -12 **Milwaukee** ... 6

**Calumet** ... 3 **Minneapolis** ... 0

**Chicago** ... 13 **New Orleans** 53

**Cincinnati** ... 17 **New York** ... 21

**Cleveland** ... 15 **Omaha** ... 18

**Dallas** ... 33 **Phoenix** ... 43

**Denver** ... 18 **Pittsburgh** ... 12

**Detroit** ... 9 **St. Louis** ... 20

**Duluth** ... -12 **San Francisco** 49

**Grand Rapids** 6 **St. Paul** ... 21

**Jacksonville** 55 **Traverse City** 2

**Kansas City** 19 **Washington** 46

## Powerful Blizzard Buries Soo; Warmer Weather Promised

(By The Associated Press)

A powerful blizzard in the Sault Ste. Marie area and sub-zero temperatures in other parts of the state had Michigan deep in winter again today. (Sat)

However, the weatherman promised it would be slightly warmer over the weekend.

Pellston with a low of 16 below zero was the coldest spot in the state Friday night. The Detroit weather bureau said others reporting sub-zero readings were Cadillac -12, Escanaba -5, Sault Ste. Marie -7 and Gladwin -3. Marquette had a zero reading.

The Sault Ste. Marie area was digging its way out of what was termed the worst blizzard of the winter in that section. A 50-mile-an-hour wind broke loose several acres of ice fields just below the Soo Locks. The ferry Agomag was trapped in mid-stream and the John W. Curran was torn loose from its moorings at the Canadian ferry dock and beached.

The Coast Guard ice-breaking cutter Mesquite smashed its way through the ice to free the Agomag and got it back to shore. But service between the American and Canadian cities was suspended.

Soo area residents were digging through heavy drifting snows left by Thursday night's storm.

But they got consolation from the weather bureau prediction that the weather would warm up slightly over the weekend, with the temperature due to hit 32 in some areas tomorrow.

Light snow flurries or rain were forecast for scattered sections of the state Sunday night or Monday.

**AUSTRIAN PEACE  
TREATY STUDIED**

Russian Claims Just Be

Harmonized With

Ability To Pay

London, Feb. 21 (P)—Four-power foreign ministers' deputies doing spadework on an Austrian peace treaty faced the problem today of harmonizing Soviet claims and Austria's ability to pay.

Their latest treaty conference opened yesterday with general discussion of these claims, which are for money, oil and shipping.

Reports from the private meeting said the United States, Britain and France insisted Austria must not be billed for more than she could supply. They said Russia expressed hope for a settlement.

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The President's speech was delivered to a committee headed by Governor Pinero, gathered to welcome the fourth United States presidential visitor since it became an American possession in 1898.

He described the relationship between the United States and Puerto Rico as an example of "the democratic way of cooperation between friendly people."

"It represents," he said, "what the American people are trying to encourage in the world at large."

A full schedule was arranged for President Truman, from the moment of his arrival here in the "Sacred Cow" from Key West, Fla.

Tonight the presidential yacht Williamsburg is due to carry him to St. Thomas, in the Virgin Islands tomorrow for an official visit.

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## TAKE BIDS ON M-35 BRIDGE

State Highway Dept. To  
Open Bids For U. P.  
Jobs March 9

The state highway department is advertising for bids for the construction of six projects in the Upper Peninsula, including relocation of M-35 through Fuller Park and construction of a bridge over Bark river at the relocation 16 miles southwest of Escanaba in Delta county.

Sealed proposals will be received from contractors and will be opened in Escanaba at 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 9, it was announced today at the state highway department branch office here.

The projects are as follows:

Delta county—1,205 miles of

grading and drainage structures

and concrete pavement on M-35, Bark River relocation.

Delta county—Bridge carrying

M-25 traffic over Bark river on

the above relocation. The bridge

will be of reinforced concrete and

steel and will have a 70-foot span,

with a 38-foot roadway.

There will be an 18-inch-wide

raised walkway on each side of

the bridge.

Gogebic county—1,590 miles of

grading and drainage structures

and concrete pavement on US-2

relocation Bessemer and east Al-

so 3,231 miles of concrete paveme-

nt on US-2 relocation from

east of Bessemer easterly into

Wakefield.

Menominee county—Bridge on

county road 352 (Mill Street)

crossing Little Cedar River in the

village of Stephenson.

Chippewa county—5,987 miles

of concrete pavement on M-28

from east of Raco to the junction

with M-221.

Alger county—4,537 miles of

grading and drainage structures

and concrete pavement on

M-28, Shingleton east to coun-

ty line.

**Motorist Fined**

For Recklessness

Walter J. Derusha, 23, of 201

North 11th street, pleaded guilty

in justice court this morning to

a charge of reckless driving and

paid a fine of \$10 and \$8.25 costs.

Derusha was arrested by local

police Friday evening after a car

that Derusha was driving ran into

an automobile driven by Lloyd

Flath, Escanaba, Route One, in

front of the Michigan theatre.

Ascorbic acid is vitamin C.

The oak is a member of the

W D B C  
PROGRAM

SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 21

6:00—Evening News  
6:15—Evening Concert  
6:30—Your Business Reporter  
6:45—Sports Review  
7:00—Hawaiian Music  
7:30—Saturday Night Symphony  
8:30—Bark River vs. St. Joseph Basketball  
10:30—Dance Music  
11:00—The Hutton's Orchestra  
11:30—Morton Downey Songs  
11:30—Sign Off

SUNDAY, FEB. 22

7:30—Organ Melodies  
8:00—Harry Horlick and World Light Opera Co.  
9:00—Young People's Church  
9:30—Sports Review  
10:30—Voice of Prophecy  
11:00—Sunday Worship  
12:00—News  
12:15—Salon Music  
12:30—Tea Party Hour  
1:00—William L. Shirer  
1:15—Mood in Melody  
1:30—Washington Birthday Salute  
2:00—Air Force Hour  
2:20—Sports Review  
2:45—Veteran Wants to Know  
3:00—Brotherhood Pattern of Living  
3:30—Juvenile Jury  
4:00—House of Mystery  
4:30—Police Detective Mysteries  
5:00—Presbyterian Hour  
5:30—Quick as a Flash  
6:00—Those Websters  
6:30—Nick Carter  
7:00—Lester Melches  
7:30—Behind the Front Page  
8:00—Alexander's Meditation Board  
8:30—Jimmy Fidler  
8:45—Newspace  
9:00—Young People's At Parky's  
9:30—Jim Backus Show  
10:30—Fred Hartley, Jr.  
10:30—Latin American Serenade  
11:00—Sign Off

MONDAY, FEB. 23

6:30—Farm Rhythms

6:45—Evening News

6:45—Kelly Time

7:30—News

7:35—Kelly Time

7:45—Sacred Heart Program

8:00—Kip's Report

8:45—Morning Devotions

9:00—News

9:05—Just Music

9:15—Band Stand

9:30—Ozark City Folks

9:45—Sports Review

10:00—Cecil Brown

10:15—For Ladies Only

10:30—Home Sweet Home

10:45—House of Mystery

11:00—Little Miss Perfect

11:15—Tell Your Neighbor

11:30—Heart's Desire

12:00—Luncheon Melodies

12:45—Strictly Instrumental

1:00—Cedric Foster

1:15—Victor H. Lindahr

1:30—Quaker City Serenade

1:45—Go-Op Hour

2:00—G-1 Day

2:30—The Martin Block Show

3:30—Music of All Nations

4:00—Michigan Employment Program

4:15—The Johnson in Hollywood

4:30—Tea Time Melodies

4:45—Hi Jive

5:00—Little Stories for Little People

5:15—Superman

5:30—Sports Review

7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.—News

7:15—Strictly Off the Record

7:30—Henry J. Taylor

7:45—Broadway Memories

8:00—The Falcon

8:30—Delta County Hour

9:00—Gabriel Heatter

9:15—Radio Newsreel

9:30—Quiet Please

10:00—Sports Review

10:30—Fulton Lewis, Jr.—News

10:30—Ex-President Hoover

10:45—Michael Zarin's Orchestra

11:00—All the News

11:30—The Day Is Done

11:30—Sign Off

### Briefly Told

Camera Club—The Delta County Camera club will meet Monday night, Feb. 23, at 7:30 in the club's room at 605 Ludington street. Mrs. James Olson will give a demonstration of negative retouching and oil painting of photographs.

**Rotary Program**—The Escanaba Rotary club at its Monday noon meeting will devote its program to an observance of Rotary's forty-third birthday anniversary.

**Streamliner Stop**—Effective at once, C. & N. W. railway streamliner No. 209 will stop at Bark River to discharge passengers in assisting disaster cases.

In 1947 there were no disasters in Delta County but the Chapter

## Red Cross Campaign Plans Are Completed

Delta County Chapter of American Red Cross is now making plans for its annual fund drive. Dr. Vernon K. Johnson will chairmen the campaign designed to net the County Welfare unit

was called on to assist two family burrows. Nationally there were

50 floods, 142 fires, 3 hurricanes, 41 tornadoes and 31 other incidents such as transportation wrecks and epidemics which enlisted services of the Red Cross.

The National quota is \$75,000,000 to which Delta County will contribute 67 per cent of its fund drive moneys.

In Delta County, the Red Cross

is most active in its home service field.

In the past year the chapter

rendered financial assistance to

2,318 cases, 38 of which were

civilian hardship cases, 1,868 veter-

ans, and the rest servicemen. The home service unit is designed

to assist service-men, ex-service-

men and their families in com-

munication, with information

concerning government legislation

affecting them, in preparing

pension applications and preparing

reports for the military re-

garding the men or their families

and financially.

Other activities of the Delta Chapter include blood donor cam-

paigns, disaster preparedness

first aid, home nursing, produc-

tion for hospitals, water safety

and activities of the Junior Red

Cross.

Each block in the cities of Es-

canaba and Gladstone and each

township in the county will be

aided in their subscription to

the Red Cross fund by chairman,

already appointed.

Plans are for a one-day drive

Feb. 29.

**Munising News**

Munising, Feb. 21 (Special)—

Miss Nancy Carol Johnson, 19,

year-old blue-eyed blonde, was

crowned Queen of the North in

the finale of Marquette's winter

carnival here last night. She was

one of 13 contestants from 13 Upper

Peninsula communities, including

Marion Birkenmeier, of Escanaba.

Mrs. Johnson is a graduate of

the Patricia Stevens Modeling

school in Detroit and last summer

held the title of "First Princess of

Southern Michigan." She also was

a candidate in the "Miss Michigan" bathing beauty contest. She

## BUREAU PARLEY OPENS TUESDAY

Maj. Gen. Ralph Royce  
Will Speak At  
Marquette

Marquette — Major General Ralph Royce, veteran of two World Wars and recently appointed managing director of the Michigan Department of Economic Development, will be one of the principal speakers during the annual mid-winter meeting of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau in Marquette next week.

The Bureau's two-day session, Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 24 and 25, will be held in connection with gatherings of the Economic Development Commission and the Upper Peninsula Industrial Conference.

General Royce, born in Marquette and reared in Hancock, will share the speaking program at a Tuesday evening banquet in the Hotel Northland with Ben F. Clark, field representative of the MEDC, and Gervase T. Murphy, vice-chairman of that department. John I. Keeton, Munising, Bureau president, will preside and Mayor James J. Beckman, Marquette, will welcome delegates.

The annual meeting will open at 11 Tuesday morning with a meeting of the Bureau's executive committee in the city hall. Registration will follow in the Hotel Northland at 11, and a noon luncheon will be held there at noon. Charles A. Rockhill, of the Michigan Historical Commission, will speak at the luncheon.

The main business session will begin at 2 in the city hall, where the secretary and treasurer's reports will be given, the 1948 budget presented and committees appointed. Following report of U. P. industrial committees, addressed will be given by Robert Furlong, administrative secretary of the Michigan Tourist Council, and by A. A. Anderson, of the Michigan Highway Department.

The Economic Development Commission will meet at the same time in the private dining room of the Hotel Northland, with G. T. Murphy presiding.

Representatives of Railroads, local industrial committees, Chamber of Commerce officials, members of the Michigan Economic Development Commission and Public Service Commission, as well as directors and officers of the Development Bureau, have been invited to Wednesday morning's meeting, which will begin at 9:30 in the city hall.

Bureau President Keeton will preside and a discussion on "Upper Peninsula Industrial Development" will be led by George E. Bishop, secretary-manager of the Bureau. The discussion will include progress report on surveys, proposed Upper Peninsula industrial brochure and setting up a policy and program for future development.

Frederick W. Olmstead, assistant chief of the Area Development Division of the U. S. Department of Commerce, will speak at a noon luncheon Wednesday, final event of the two-day meeting. Mayor Beckman will preside at the luncheon and a report of the committee on unification of Michigan's two Peninsulas will be given by R. W. Jenner, Marquette, member of the Economic Development Commission. Jenner's report will be discussed and there will be a report by the resolutions committee.

### Ensign

Home Ec' Meeting  
Ensign, Mich.—Members of the Ensign Home Economics Extension Group met Tuesday evening at the Alton School. The lesson for the evening was called "Meals Made Easy", and the local leaders, Mrs. Olaf Larsen and Miss Anne Maubar served a delicious supper to all members and guests present. About 32 people attended. After the meal, a business meeting was held at which time Mrs. Larsen and Miss Maubar handed out recipes and answered questions on the preparation of the different foods served. Mrs. Ferris Bouchard and Mrs. Dave Constantino were selected as leaders for the February lesson, with Mrs. Bob Olson as alternate.

#### Personals

Word has been received here that Mr. and Mrs. Al Genski of Utica, N. Y., are the recent parents of a son, Charles Gary. Mrs. Genski is the former June Kallner of Ensign.

H. F. Gustafson and Mrs. Earl Kaiser attended the "Our Community Tomorrow" Institute held at the Escanaba Junior high school on Wednesday and Thursday.

A large group of Ensign folks attended the PTA meeting at the Rapid River high school Thursday evening and enjoyed the program there very much.

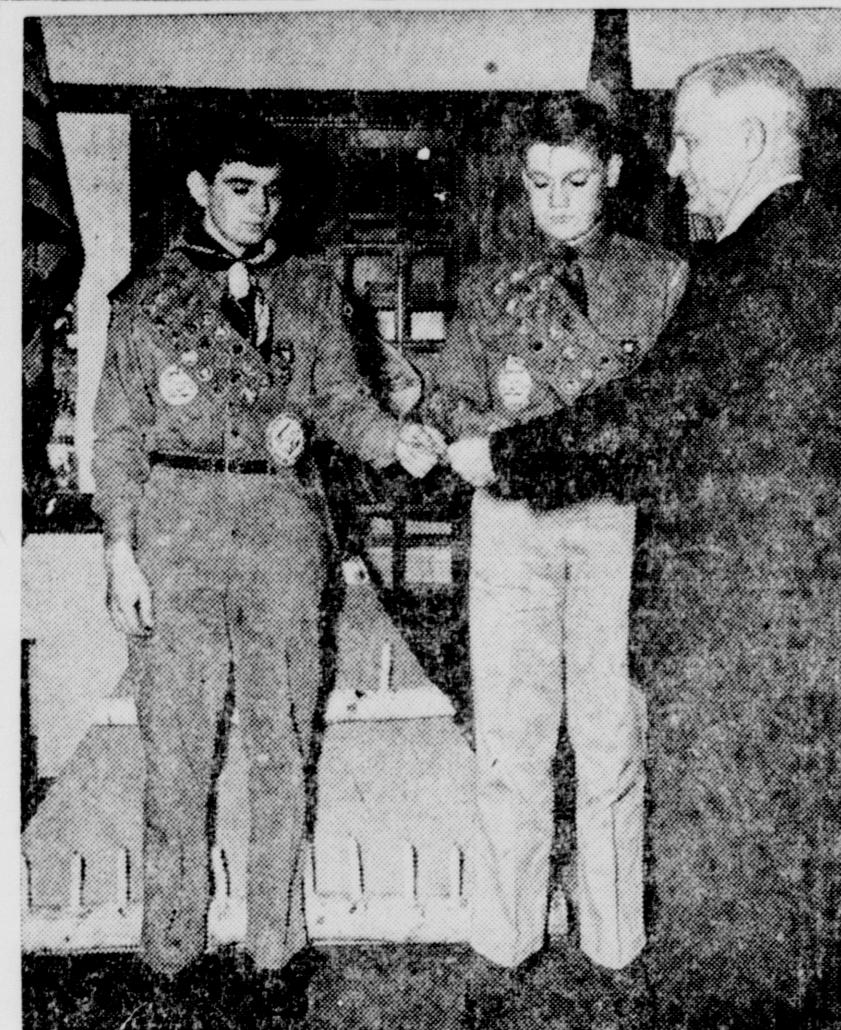
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sebeck of Gladstone visited with the Ed Hansen family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Nelson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson of Gladstone Sunday.

Callers Sunday at the Andrew Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Person of Rapid River.

#### Speaker Here

William G. Robinson, assistant in Community Organization, University of Michigan, who was a staff member of "Our Community Tomorrow" Institute at Escanaba, will speak at the Ozonot grange hall Thursday afternoon, Feb. 26. Mr. Robinson is an authority on recreation for youth, and it is hoped that a large group of parents and other people interested will attend.



BECOME EAGLE SCOUTS—Eagle Scout badges were presented at a Boy Scout court of Honor in Escanaba to (left) Pat Farrell of Troop 444, and Richard Gilbert of Troop 454, by Ray Shaw (right), veteran Scout leader and holder of the Silver Beaver. The Eagle Scout award is the highest honor to be received in Scouting.

## VA HOSPITAL SITE OPPOSED

Battle Creek Doctor  
Criticizes Project At  
Iron Mountain

Milwaukee (AP)—The president of the American Hospital Association blasted the proposed construction of more veterans' hospitals.

Dr. Graham L. Davis of Battle Creek, Mich., declared such construction would "play into the hands of the leftists and advocates of compulsory health insurance."

Addressing the midwinter conference of the Wisconsin Hospital Association he said the building of new hospitals for veterans cuts into the supply of doctors and nurses of community hospitals.

Dr. Davis declared at least 37,000 beds in community hospitals now are vacant because of personnel shortages.

He predicted that under the federal veterans' program this country would have 300,000 more beds than it needs in from 15 to 20 years.

"If a leftist government should be in control in Washington and a lot of veterans' hospital beds are vacant, the pressure would be on for compulsory health insurance and federal control of all the hospitals," Dr. Davis said.

He stated that "it is debatable whether the government should run any hospital, except perhaps hospitals for the armed forces."

Dr. Davis said the Veterans Administration had not held to the program advocated by Gen. Omar Bradley, former administrator, and Gen. Paul Hawley, medical director, to place new hospitals in large cities near medical centers.

He cited as an example the 250-bed hospital at Iron Mountain, Mich., to be built this year at a cost of approximately \$5,547,000. "That is a sparsely settled area," Dr. Davis said. "It will be impossible to staff it and many of the beds will be empty, for in many sections of that territory there is now only one doctor for each 10,000 inhabitants."

Dr. Davis said the state of Michigan is developing a system of private and public hospitals, with federal aid, that will place hospitalization within 30 miles of all its residents. Its program will serve Wisconsites along the upper peninsula border. He complimented Wisconsin for its system of decentralized mental hospitals.

Upper Peninsula Zionists Elect

Iron River, Mich.—Leadership of the Upper Peninsula Zionist Bureau formerly centered in the hands of Iron county Jewish men was redistributed more widely at their request here Sunday during an annual election.

Between 50 and 60 leading Jewish men of peninsula cities came to Iron River for the afternoon business session at Temple Ahavas Achim, the synagogue of the Iron county Jewish congregation on Cayuga street.

Carl Blum of Iron Mountain was elected president, succeeding Leslie Selin of Iron River who was chairman of arrangements for the meeting.

Other officers named are: Frank Milavetz, Ironwood, vice president; Herman Miller, Crystal Falls, secretary, succeeding J. J. Drey of Iron River; and Joseph Fine, Marquette, treasurer, who succeeds Isadore Dubinsky, Ishpeming; Charles Gessner, Escanaba department store owner, was re-elected honorary president.

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## Past Escanaba Elk Rulers To Conduct Initiation Feb. 25

Nine former rulers of Escanaba lodge 354, B. P. O. Elks, will exemplify the initiation ritual next Wednesday night as a feature of past exalted rulers' night at the local lodge. The initiation will follow a 6:45 p. m. dinner.

Former Elks rulers who have been named for the ritual team next Wednesday are: J. E. Burns, H. P. Lindsay, R. A. O'Neill, N. T. Stephenson, R. W. Coolman, H. W. Needham, A. J. Goula, H. H. Hengesh and M. M. Sullivan. Ken Pavey, past exalted ruler of the Iron Mountain Elks, will recite the Thanatosphere, one of the impulsive features of the ceremony.

Candidates to be initiated Wednesday include: Maj. Edwin J. Leer, John P. Gaffney, Edward M. Reynolds, Paul H. Johnson, John Cleary, Edward L. Gravelle, Glenn Caswell and Norris A. Deviley.

## Railroaders Start Hobo Basket, Raise Polio Fight Funds

Birmingham, Alabama (AP)—The "Hobo Basket," answer of three railroaders to the fight against infantile paralysis, is well toward completion today of a 9,600 mile errand.

Already the basket has collected \$1,885 for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Three clerks in the southern railway yard here, R. E. Kinnane, W. M. Hames and C. H. Pate, started the picnic basket on its journey Dec. 22.

Self-addressed postcards were placed in it when it left here aboard a freight train, the basket's only mode of travel. The yardmaster at each terminal along the line fills out one of the cards with the amount collected and the basket's arrival and departure time.

He also indicates whether the money is given to the local chapter or the foundation or sent to Birmingham. About 90 percent of the donations have been sent back here, Kinnane said.

So far the basket has been passed from the southern railway to the Frisco, Rock Island, Chicago and Northwestern, Milwaukee, Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic and Great Northern Roads, with many cities and railroads still on the itinerary.

## OUST BUECHNER AT HAMILTON, O.

Former Gladstone City Manager Crusaded  
Against Vice

Hamilton, O. (AP)—Frank R. Buechner said he was removed from his job as Hamilton city manager because of his efforts "to enforce the laws against organized vice."

Buechner, formerly city manager at Superior, Wis., as ousted from his Ohio job Wednesday by a four-to-one vote of the city council. Councilman Frank Rosenthal led the forces opposing Buechner. Rosenthal declined to give reasons for the action.

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Friends of the former city manager struck back, saying they would prepare petitions to remove Buechner's opponents from the council.

Buechner came here in October 1946, after leaving Superior, where he gained a reputation for fighting gambling and vice. As Hamilton city manager he continued the program. Records show 60 arrests on gambling charges.

Buechner served as city manager at Gladstone, Mich., about fifteen years ago.

## Soviets Claim U. S. And Britain Worked On Separate Peace

Moscow, Russia (AP)—Russia has accused the United States and Britain of conducting secret talks for a separate peace with Germany in the middle of World War II.

The Soviet Union made the charge this week in the fourth installment of its reply to U. S. state department disclosures of documents regarding Russian-German relations.

A statement said Allen W. Dulles, a brother of John Foster Dulles, represented the U. S. in

## Obituary

MRS. M. B. TURNER  
Funeral services for Mrs. M. B. Turner, of Milwaukee, former resident of Escanaba, were held this afternoon at St. Stephen's Episcopal church with Rev. James G. Ward officiating at the rites. Burial was in Lakeview cemetery. Pallbearers were Phil S. Clark, James E. Frost, A. J. Perrin, Oliver V. Thatcher, Thaxter Shaw and George Perrin.

Miss Kathleen Turner and Carter Turner of Milwaukee were among those at the services.

## Gould City

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Christie have been called to Port Huron by the death of Mr. Christie's father, who died February 17 at his home on 1115 Lyon street.

talks with a German spokesman in 1942 which touched on the question of concluding a separate peace with Germany.

It also charged that the son of Lord Beaverbrook, British publisher, represented Britain in similar peace talks with a German representative in September, 1941.

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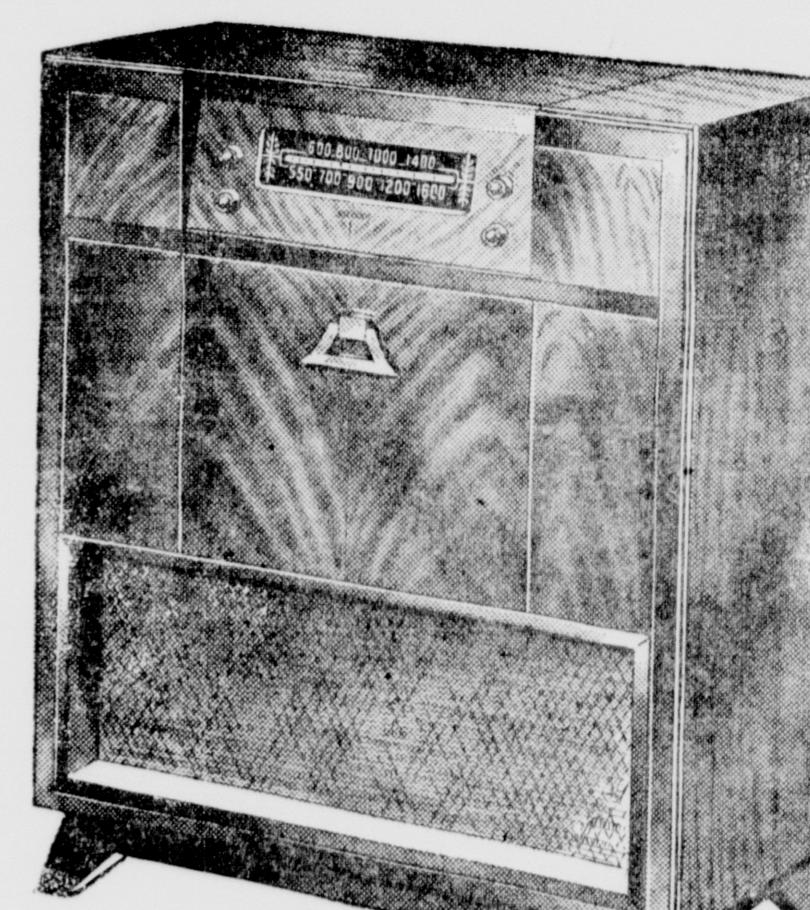
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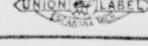
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### George Washington

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY has been chosen this year as the starting day of American Brotherhood Week, which is sponsored by the National Conference of Christians and Jews. This annual observance calls attention to the battle against prejudice and intolerance which must be won if we, as individuals and as a nation, are to live in peace.

The results of this special election showed, also, that Communists who are among the most vigorous supporters of Henry Wallace, are indefatigable in door to door election campaigns. This should serve as a warning to the friends of democracy in the approaching elections.

### New Profits For Stalin

THE SUPREME COURT of Soviet Russia this week issued a ruling that accurately portrays the philosophy of the Communist rulers. The court ruled that individuals owing money to the state or to state institutions before the currency reform of last Dec. 16 must pay their debts in rubles for ruble, but that any debts owed by the state must be paid off at the rate of one new ruble for ten old ones.

On Dec. 16 Russia devalued its currency, giving only one new ruble for each 10 held by its citizens except that the first 3,000 rubles of bank deposits were redeemed at full value.

The Soviet court's ruling means, for instance, that a Russian citizen who owed the state, say 1,000 old rubles on Dec. 16, must now pay 1,000 new rubles to redeem the debt, even though the Russian citizen might have turned in 10,000 old rubles on Dec. 16 to get the 1,000 new rubles that he now needs to pay the bill.

On the other hand, if the Soviet government owed, let us say 1,000 rubles to one of its citizens on Dec. 16, it now will pay that citizen only 100 new rubles. Needless to say, the Soviet government will make a neat profit on these transactions. The ruble devaluation, it will be recalled, enabled the Soviet government to reduce its national debt by about two-thirds at the expense of Russian currency holders.

### Other Editorial Comments

#### BILLIONS AND BILLIONS (Christian Science Monitor)

Perhaps billions make you dizzy. Well, try these:

In one year Americans spent \$8,700,000,000 on liquor, \$2,500,000,000 on charity. In one year they spent \$6,000,000,000 on the races, \$2,500,000,000 on education.

Such figures don't tell the whole story, but they are a useful reminder that "where your treasure is, there will your heart be also."

### Take My Word For It . . . Frank Colby

#### SATURDAY CATCHALL

Lebanon, Kentucky: When inquiring about a person's last name, which is correct, "Mary who?" or "Mary whom?" and why?—L. K.

Answer: The word that follows a name and replaces a name is called a substantive pronoun. Correct: Mary who? Mrs. who? Captain who?

Houston: Please give the correct pronunciation of the word palomino.—T. H. C.

Answer: This is a Spanish loan word. In that language it means "young pigeon." In the United States a palomino is a creamy-white horse whose tail and mane are buff. The Spanish pronunciation is: PAHL-oh-MEE-noe. In America the word is usually pronounced: PAL-uh-MEE-nuh, although many prefer the Spanish pronunciation. All so heard, and this seems likely to become the Standard American pronunciation: PAL-uh-MEE-noe.

Louisville: How do you pronounce the name peony. Is it like "pony"?—Reader.

Answer: No; nor should one say "peeOH-nee." (The word was once spelled "piony," pronounced exactly like "piny." But it is now obsolete or dialectal.) The correct pronunciation is: PEE-uh-nhee.

New York: Will you please explain use of "fathers" and "forefathers," as: "... our fathers brought forth upon this continent" and "... we shall follow the traditions of our forefathers." What's the difference?—H. M. DeP.

Answer: There is no difference. In some Biblical and poetic usage, fathers means ancestors; forefathers; forebears.

Haverstown, Penna.: Which is correct, "Bergman is an excellent actress" or "... excellent actor?"—J. W. G.

Answer: Strictly speaking, any person who acts is an actor, just as any person who edits is an editor. In other words, the size of his plurality. He polled nearly twice

## World Events Analyzed

BY MARQUIS CHILDS

Washington.—The type that best sums up our perplexed civilization in this moment of decision is the scientist. He has given into the hands of a society just struggling out of the new stone age the supreme power over life and death on this planet and his conscience is deeply troubled.

The hundreds of scientists working for the United States atomic energy commission are not precisely happy. The ratio of AEC money and effort going into the military end of the program is about 97 per cent to 3 per cent for peacetime uses. That, at any rate, is the rough approximation that the scientists arrive at.

Members of the commission say that no such arbitrary breakdown is possible. Work that is being done to develop and improve the atomic bomb will contribute also to peacetime development and understanding of atomic energy.

#### THE REACTOR PROGRAM

The chief complaint of the scientists comes over what is known as the reactor program. With the vast quantities of radioactive material available from the atomic project, it is possible to study secrets of nature hitherto beyond the range of man's most powerful instruments. Thus it may become possible through reactors to learn how plants store up food for man and animals. With such knowledge, basic food could be easily manufactured in the laboratory.

But the scientists say that AEC is not attacking this new frontier with anything like the vigor and the thoroughness that such a stirring potential should call forth. Here, of course, you get down to something pretty fundamental in a world such as ours, where money values determine what is done or not done.

One of the top atomic physicists put it this way:

"What should be done is obvious enough. Twenty to thirty million dollars—a big enough sum—should be turned over to scientists working on the reactor program. They should be told: 'Here is the money. Now get to work. If you come up with something in the next few years, fine. If you don't, then we will understand that you did your best and failed.'

Government, however, doesn't work that way, and neither does business. There are such things as budget bureaus and cost accountants who want to know how money is spent and what are the results. In wartime such procedure was possible. But our peacetime habits can hardly encompass such a bold indifference to budgets and accounting.

#### BUREAUCRACY IS OBSTACLE

Bureaucracy, whether of government or business, is a stumbling block to the creative mind of the scientist—and he grumbles. A scientist at the Oak Ridge laboratory has a brilliant idea. He puts the outline of it down on paper, and then weeks or months go by before someone in authority makes a decision.

The general advisory committee to AEC, created under the law, prepared a report on the peacetime use of atomic energy, with special emphasis on a timetable for the future. This committee is made up of seven scientists and two businessmen, with J. Robert Oppenheimer, one of the nation's top physicists, as chairman.

The report set a date for the development of peacetime power from atomic energy considerably in advance of estimates made earlier, when civilian control was an issue. The report has been held up for three months, although some pressure has been brought to release it. The commissioners say they feel it is unwise to fix a time schedule in the public mind when an unexpected development may completely upset it.

But in spite of some differences, relations with the scientists have vastly improved. This was attested in a letter sent to AEC on Jan. 1, which said in part:

"On the occasion of the first birthday of the atomic energy commission, the council of the Federation of American scientists sends its congratulations on the excellent progress the commission has made in reorganizing the atomic project on a peace-time basis. At this time last year, morale in the laboratories was low and the prospect of adequate progress in the field of atomic energy seemed poor. Since that time, the laboratories have been put on a firm basis, and good arrangements have been made for cooperation with university scientists and with industrial firms whose specialized experience is necessary in the development of atomic power."

What really troubles sensitive men of science is that their creative energy should be going toward bigger and better weapons of mass destruction. But the fault lies not with them. It lies with the sick and disintinct nature of the time in which we live.

suffix -or is not masculine. However, the feminine -ess, which has all but disappeared in modern English, is still proper in a few nouns: actress, waitress, hostess, enchantress.

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NOTE IN PASSING.—What has become of the prune, that breakfast staple of the past? Once upon a time no breakfast was considered complete without a bowl of steamed prunes. Grandmas believed they were as necessary to his health and well-being as his morning bowl of oatmeal.

New the prune has been replaced in public favor by citrus

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## The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

Washington.—Behind the move to shift the grain-speculation probe from the Senate appropriations committee to the Senate expenditures committee is a strong backstage attempt to hush up the facts regarding the amazing grain and cotton deals of Senator Elmer Thomas of Oklahoma.

The drive to let Senator Thomas off the hook is spearheaded by Senator Millard Tydings of Maryland, with the support of most other Democrats in the appropriations committee. They don't like to see a fellow Democrat in trouble, and Thomas himself happens to be a member of this committee.

During a recent closed-door appropriations committee meeting Tydings bluntly demanded of Senator Ferguson of Michigan, Republican, that the Thomas probe be called off.

"He's written you a letter telling of his market transactions," declared Tydings. "What more do you want? There's no use continuing this persecution."

"Nevertheless," replied Ferguson, who is chairman of the sub-appropriations committee probing grain speculators. "I'm going to continue the investigation of Senator Thomas and all others until I get the facts."

However, Tydings and colleagues have managed to block an expenditure of \$20,000 which Ferguson needs to pay investigators before he can proceed further. Appropriations committee Democrats are expected to vote against this \$20,000 unless their colleague, Thomas, is exempt from further inquiry. Also it looks as if enough Republicans would join them to save the gentleman from Oklahoma.

In fact, when the question of publicizing grain speculators arose last December, Senator Chan Gurney of South Dakota and Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts joined the Democrats in voting no.

That is why hard-hitting Senator Styles Bridges of New Hampshire, chairman of the appropriations committee and who favors a full and fearless investigation, has worked out a plan with Ferguson to transfer the speculation probe over to the Senate expenditures committee. Ferguson is also a member of this committee, and would have the support not only of its courageous chairman, Aiken of Vermont, but of a more liberal committee membership, including Thye (Minn.), Hickenlooper (Iowa), Ives (N. Y.), and Taylor (Idaho).

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Note—Aside from Bridges and Ferguson, the Senate appropriations committee includes some of the most reactionary members in the Senate—McKellar (Tenn.), Brooks (Ill.), Wherry (Neb.), Dworshak (Idaho), McCarran (Nev.), Overton (La.), and Thomas himself.

#### LOYAL U. S. SERVANTS

People who have been worried about the Red scare and the specter of spies working inside the U. S. government should be reassured from J. Edgar Hoover's investigation of so-called "disloyalty." Actually, Hoover hasn't found very much of it.

Hoover's efficient G-men have now been able to investigate 418,104 U. S. employees. Of this number, only 399 were found to have records which warranted even the remotest suspicion.

Of these 399, in only 8 cases did any disloyal data develop. Twenty-five government employees resigned during the investigation and some of the other remaining cases have not yet been finished. However, it looks as if so-called disloyalty is going to run far less than 1/10 of 1 percent.

#### ARMY VIOLATES LAW

Congressman Forrest Harness, Indiana Republican, is preparing another hot report criticizing the Army for using public funds to propagandize for peacetime conscription.

Harness will charge that the Army is continuing its propagandizing at public expense, despite a report by the House expenditures committee last July clearly showing that brass hats were violating the law and had spent more than \$50,000 of the public's money for lobbying purposes.

When called on the carpet, Secretary of the Army Royall said he had "no personal knowledge" of the lobbying campaign and he "had no apologies to make."

Royall was technically right on the first point, since he became secretary of war in July, though as undersecretary of war he should have known what was happening and used his influence against it.

However, Congressman Harness' second report will charge that since July the Army has been sending men from its new UMT unit at Fort Knox, Ky., to all parts of the country to make speeches before Rotary, Kiwanis, and Lions clubs, plugging compulsory military training. The congressman from Indiana will charge that these and other speeches are made at the taxpayers' expense.

Note—Whereas FDR had a great yen for the Navy, Harry Truman fondly remembers his days in the Army. Visiting with the Reserve Officers association the other day, he said proudly, "I am still a colonel in the reserve."

#### MERRY-GO-ROUND

It was Mississippi's sharp-tongued Senator Eastland, together with rootin', tootin' Congressman John Rankin, also of Mississippi, who organized the boycott of the president's recent reception for congressmen. They were sore over the president's civil rights message. Meanwhile a committee is being organized in New York to put the civil rights program into effect.

Among those invited are Bing Crosby, Irving Berlin, Dr. James B. Conant, president of Harvard.



**KARKAJOU KILLER**—Charles Burton of Gladstone exhibits the pelts of two wolverines he trapped in the interior of Alaska in 1929. This little-known animal, from which the state of Michigan receives its nickname, is also called karkajou, or glutton.

## • Wolverine? He's Cussed, Discussed By Trappers

The wolverine is "unbelievably strong", very deliberate in his movements except when he wants to be, and he is extremely confident and sure of himself, according to Charles Burton of Gladstone.

Karkajou, or glutton, as he is sometimes called, can also be overconfident. Burton knows this for he declares that it was not his skill, but the wolverine's overconfidence that resulted in his trapping two of them in the interior of Alaska back in 1928-29. Twenty-six years old and unmarried, Burton answered the call of adventure in 1928 and went to Alaska to visit an uncle, the late Joe Brassel, who had been prospecting and trapping there as early as 1915.

In the Talkeetna Mountain area in the Alaskan interior 100 miles south of Mt. McKinley, Burton and his uncle, and Aage Hansen, a Danish World War I veteran, set up a trap line 60 miles long. Along this trapline they established nine cabins. The nearest doctor was located at Anchorage, 70 miles distant.

They trapped Canada lynx, mink, fox, coyote, otter, weasel, wolverine and, in the springtime open season, beaver. There were marten in the area but they were protected.

From his uncle and from other trappers of the Alaskan wilds country, Burton heard many stories of the strength and audacity of the wolverine, largest member of the weasel family. Clever and cunning in concealing itself from man, the only enemy it fears, the wolverine had become a hated and hunted creature.

"Get a group of Alaskan trappers together and 75 per cent of the discussion will be on the wolverine," Burton said. "The trappers cuss them, but my uncle admired them for their ability to out-guess the trapper. Although he had been there since 1915, he had seen only one outside of a trap."

Burton himself saw only those he trapped. He told how the wolverine would follow a trapline and destroy the bait. The animal seemed to know the size of the trap and the extent of the danger, would jerk out the small traps, and foul up the place.

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Certain essential information concerning this virus still must be gained before a cure or preventive measure can be developed, according to Dr. Thomas Francis, Jr., chairman of the Department of Epidemiology in the School of Public Health. Viruses are tiny organisms which cause such diseases as influenza and measles, in addition to polio. They are so small that they cannot be seen with the ordinary microscope.

Second of its type constructed by the Specialized Instrument Corporation of California, the instrument was purchased with funds provided by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. The other ultracentrifuge of this type is at the University of California, Dr. Martin Hanig, research associate at the School of Public Health, said.

The new machine will be used to whirl infectious solutions containing viruses at speeds up to 1,000 revolutions per second. The centrifugal force caused by the spinning will pull the minute viruses out of the solutions so the viruses may be purified and concentrated. This will enable a more penetrating study of the organisms, leading to a greater knowledge of their growth, reproduction and chemical constitution.

### Thousands Violate Game Reporting Law

Lansing (W) — Conservation Department official said 456,328 small game hunters, 267,960 deer hunters and 10,081 trappers failed to file game kill report cards on the Feb. 15 deadline.

The reports are required by law, the officials said, and those who do not file them commit a technical misdemeanor, but no prosecutions are expected to result.

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By Andy P. Olafson

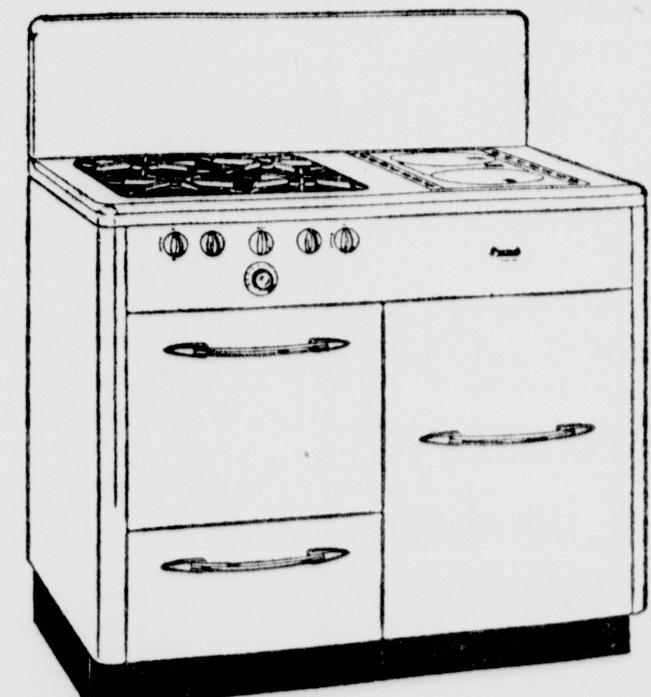
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## Wierd Ball of Fire Exploding in Sky Seen in Six States

Kansas City, Kansas, (W) — Observers Thursday saw further explanation of a strange "ball of fire", possibly a disintegrating meteor, seen in six states.

The brilliant explosion thousands of feet in the air was observed in Kansas, Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Nebraska and Colorado Wednesday.

Oscar Monnig, secretary of the National Meteorological Society, said at Fort Worth, Tex., he felt sure the fire ball was a meteor disintegrating.

Officials of the Chamberlin Observatory at the University of Denver, could offer no explanation. Director A. W. Recht said there was "no meteor shower and no other known phenomena in the sky to explain it."

At the University of Nebraska, Professor of Astronomy Oliver C. Collins said "It might very well have been a meteor."

### Macomb Prosecutor Claims Immunity in \$4,600 Bribery Case

Mt. Clemens, Michigan, (W) — Wilbur F. Held, one-time Macomb county prosecutor who is accused of accepting \$4,600 to permit gambling, clung Thursday to his claim of immunity from a bribe conspiracy charge.

He contended at his examination before one-man Grand Juror Herman Dehne that he had been granted immunity for the period from Jan. 1, 1943, until he resigned as prosecutor last year because of his testimony regarding an alleged gambling conspiracy.

Arthur P. Suave, former

slot machine operator in Macomb county, testified that during that time he paid Held \$200 to \$400 a month in return for the prosecutor's promise to take a "liberal" attitude toward gamblers.

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Concert Tonight

Gold and Fizdale, brilliant young duo-pianists, will appear in concert here tonight at 8:15 in William W. Oliver Memorial auditorium. Their appearance is sponsored by Escanaba Town Hall committee under the auspices of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Tickets for the performances of these well-recognized artists, heard by many last year in Ishpeming, may be procured tonight at the door or at Gust Asp's, Home Supply, Household Electric or Tommy's Lunch.

The concerts of Gold and Fizdale, heralding the duo-piano combination, feature classical music and much contemporary music, often written especially for them.

Those holding season tickets will hear these as a regular feature.

State Officer to  
Address Nurses

Miss Hulda Edman, R. N., executive secretary of the Michigan State Nurses' Center association, will be the speaker at a meeting of the Delta County District Nurses' association Tuesday evening, Feb. 24, at the Health Center building. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock.

Miss Edman will talk on local and state nursing problems.

Anyone wishing transportation to the Health Center is asked to call a member of the committee for the evening: Mrs. Catherine Nichols, Miss Cora Pelletier, and Mrs. Alma Christensen.



**FREE CHEST X-RAYS OFFERED** — The state health department's mobile x-ray unit has begun a tour of Delta county to provide free chest examinations in a program to control and eradicate tuberculosis. Pictured is the unit at Bark River, first community on the schedule. Waiting to enter the unit for x-rays are (left to

right) Clarence Olson, Thomas Dumas, Mrs. Clarence Olson, Mrs. William Boyle, Miss M. Garrow, R. N. (assisting with the examinations), Mrs. Thomas Dumas, Mrs. Dan Levesque, Eugene Meshigaud, Roger Dumas and Robert Dumas.

No Dull Moments In Election  
Year Says Mrs. Charles Weis

BY CYNTHIA LOWRY

New York, (P)—This is a year of presidential decision when the one-armed paperhanger is an incident lout compared with a member of the Republican National Committee with a favorite son on hand.

The palace guards, experts-on-everything and special advisers are working overtime. Meanwhile the '96 members of the national committee (a man and a woman from each state) are out doing political battle on the front lines. This is their big year.

Mrs. Charles W. Weis of Rochester, the New York Committee-woman, likes to have a local-boy situation on her hands. While in many ways she does not fit the popular conception of the lady politician, her current activities are pretty typical of her colleagues, male and female, in states where some resident has a yen to sit on the new back porch under construction in Washington.

She is a slim, extremely handsome woman with gray hair, smart clothes, a well-to-do-husband supremely disinterested in politics and three children in college.

She was a political dilettante until the late '30s. Then she began to shoot up through the party ranks. In 1944, she was elected committeewoman at the national convention closed.

What was asked, was she going to do this year?

"I'm going to put on some



MRS. CHARLES WEIS

## Personal News

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## Social - Club

D. of I. Meeting

Daughters of Isabella of Trinity Circle, No. 362, will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock at St. Joseph's hall. Following the business meeting, a memorial service will be held. Mrs. Albert Valine is chairman of the committee for the evening.

**Priscilla Sewing Circle**

The Priscilla Sewing Circle of Immanuel Lutheran church will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Olsen, 321 South 18th street.

Mrs. Olsen and Mrs. Ernest Wickstrom are hostesses. An invitation is extended to members and friends.

Bark River Club

The Sunnyside Home Extension club of Bark River had an interesting lesson on the topic, "Meals Made Easy" at its recent meeting at the Walter Martin home.

Mrs. Ebeth Peterson and Mrs. John Barr, leaders, spoke on nutritious food and how to prepare it and a delicious meal was prepared and served. Guests of the club were Mrs. Mary Olson, Mrs. Roger Quist and Mrs. Elmer Turnquist.

B. &amp; P. W. Club

The Business and Professional Woman's club will hold a dinner meeting at the Sherman Hotel Tuesday evening at 6:45 o'clock. The program is on "Escanaba Today." Miss Josephine Ryan, chairman of the evening, is in charge of reservations.

Job's Daughters

A regular meeting of Job's Daughters will be held Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. All members are asked to be present.

Sharon Shrine to  
Organize Club

Members of Sharon Shrine will meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 24, at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. The meeting has been called for the purpose of organizing a social club.

The word "Nevada" is Spanish, and means "snow-clad."

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FEATURES

## WOMAN'S PAGE

AMY BOLGER Editor. Phone 692

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## SOCIETY

Trio Continues  
Special Meetings

The Jubilee Trio of Chicago will continue its meetings at the Salvation Army hall, 112 North 15th street, through Sunday, Feb. 29, it was announced today. Special programs will be held each evening. Tuesday the young people of the Escanaba Corps will take a major part in the service and musical programs of unusual interest are planned for Wednesday and Friday. The Trio will hold a service at the Gladstone Salvation Army hall Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to all services.

## Church Events

## Mary Reese Circle

Mary Reese Circle of the First Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Arthur Kamrath, 1012 Eighth avenue south, Tuesdays at 2:30 p. m. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. P. A. Aronson, Mrs. Cecil Fisher and Mrs. William Harwood. Mrs. Clarence Zerbel will have the devotions and Mrs. James H. Bell will be in charge of the program.

## Bethany Chapel Aid

The Ladies' Aid of Bethany Lutheran Chapel will meet Thursday afternoon, Feb. 26, at 3 o'clock. Hostesses are Mrs. Carl Westerberg, Rev. Howard V. Drolet, assistant pastor.

## Brotherhood Meeting

The Men's Brotherhood of the First Methodist church will meet at the church at 6:30 p. m. Monday.

## Immanuel Brotherhood

The Lutheran Brotherhood of Immanuel Lutheran church will meet in the church parlors Tuesday evening. Officers will be installed, a program given and lunch will be served. Members and friends are invited. Hosts are Arne Rian and Alvin Grunwald.

## Bark River Service

The Sunday school of Salem Lutheran church, Bark River, will meet as usual at 1:30 p. m. Sunday, with Mrs. Edgar Erickson, superintendent, and Rev. Gustav Lund, acting pastor, will conduct a service at the church at 2:30 p. m.

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## City Church Services

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**Salvation Army** — Sunday school at 6:30 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Evangelistic service, 7:45 a. m. — The Rev. Alphonse Wilberding, pastor; Rev. Fr. Varin Slack, assistant pastor.

**St. Stephen's Episcopal** — Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Church School at 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer at 10:45 a. m. with sermon on "Christ in the Church." Music by the choir. — James G. Ward, rector.

**First Methodist** — Church school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 10:45 a. m. Laymen's Day Service, 10:45 a. m. — Wallace Cameron will speak. Union Lenten service with First Presbyterian church at 7:30 p. m. — Otto H. Steen, minister.

**Bethany Lutheran** — Chapel Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Church Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 10:45 a. m. — Sermon topic, "How Is It that Ye Could Not?"

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen Thompson, of Cornell, are the parents of a daughter, Elizabeth Lucille, born Feb. 16 at 7:10 a. m., at the Cradle Home in Gladstone. The baby weighed six pounds and two ounces.

Tiny booklets of lipstick tissues can be tucked into a purse or pocket to blot lipstick and save linens from messy smears.

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J. R. LOWELL  
Manager

## MANISTIQUE

Manistique Ice Show  
To Be Held At Quarry  
Rink Sunday Afternoon

The Manistique Ice Show, which will feature figure skating acts and skating races for all ages, will be held Sunday afternoon at the rink near the quarry, opening at 2:30.

Five skating races will be held for the various age groups, 8 to 10, 10 to 12, 12 to 14, 14 to 16, and 16 years and over. Entrants have been coming in rapidly, and it is expected that many children of the city will participate. Between races five figure acts will be presented, with the following persons taking part: Katherine Green, Shirley Monette, Joanne Minor, Dorothy Selling, Sandra White, Donna Popour, Patsy Popour, Anne Sheahan, Marianne Creerer, Margaret Quicke, Margaret Mueller, Joanne Norberg, Shirley Burns, Lenore Bassett, Kay Boals, Irene Krusick, Shirley Demars, Howard Strasser, Hugo Schubert, Gail Lundstrom, Gail Dupont and Sally Stewart.

Following the acts and races there will be a demonstration by the figure skaters to compete for the trophy in that classification. Awards will be given in both figure skating and the races.

It is pointed out by the Manistique Skating club, sponsors of the ice show, that this is the first season that an effort has been made to develop figure skating. Training was hampered during the month of January by too severe weather conditions, and has been

## Program of Events

—Speed skating exhibition

one lap (8-10 year old girls).

—Speed skating exhibition

one lap (8-10 year old boys).

—Fancy skating, Act I—Katherine Green, Shirley Monette, Joanne Minor, Dorothy Selling, Sandra White and Donna Popour.

—Speed skating exhibition

one lap (10-12 year old girls).

—Speed skating exhibition

one lap (10-12 year old boys).

—Fancy skating—Act II—Patsy Popour, Anne Sheahan, Marianne Creerer.

Act IV—Margaret Quicke, Margaret Mueller, Joanne Norberg, Shirley Burns.

—Speed skating—one lap (12-14 year old girls) and (12-14 year old boys).

—Fancy skating—Act V—Lenore Bassett, Kay Boals, Irene Krusick, Shirley Demars.

Act VI—Katherine Green, Shirley Monette, Joanne Minor.

—Speed skating—2 laps—(14-16 year girls) and (14-16 year boys).

—Fancy skating—Act VII—Howard Strasser, Hugo Schubert, Irene Krusick, Shirley Demars.

Act VIII—Shirley Monette, Gail Lundstrom, Gail Dupont, Mary Stewart.

11—Open speed skating final.

12—Figure solos, grand prize All ages.

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## Briefly Told

Rebekah Lodge—Agnes Rebekah Lodge, No. 159, will hold a meeting on Monday at 8 p. m. This will be a social meeting with the following committee serving: Violet Johnson, Margaret Bergman, Elma Van Dyck, Lillian Rogers, Marion Richards, Blanche O'Neill, and Hilda and Eva Peters.

St. Alban's Episcopal—9:45 a. m. Church school, 11 a. m. Morning service and sermon. Topic: "The Ministry of the Church."—The Rev. Herbert A. Wilson, Vicar.

St. Francis de Sales (Catholic)—Sunday masses at 6, 8, 10. Confessions on Saturday at 3 and 7 p. m.—The Rev. B. J. P. Schevers, pastor.

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CLOSE MONDAYCity Council Will Hold  
Regular Meeting  
Tuesday

A certain Manistique housewife tells this one on herself. It amuses her now, but at the time it happened she was "mad" enough to get a shotgun and do something about it." She had just baked a batch of bread and, because her husband was unable to eat hot bread, had set a pan of biscuits out on the back porch to cool.

A short time later she chanced to look out of the kitchen window and was aghast to see that pan a squirming, fluttering, chattering, fighting mass of feathered life. "Oh, but was I mad," she said. "And then when I saw that all that was left was the bottom crusts, I couldn't help but laugh. I threw the biscuits out and took the pan back into the house. George had to eat hot bread that evening and like it."

Sparrows, it seems, have staged a comeback. Not in many years have they been as numerous in town as they have been during the recent cold snap. And strangely enough, many people who dislike them, now seem to regard them with real affection. The way those little rascals seem to make the most of adverse conditions has an appeal.

And many of these people who have found enjoyment in watching the birds feast upon the scraps of food they have provided have found the study of these birds extremely interesting. Sparrows, although gregarious in their habits, are rugged individuals. Every sparrow has some characteristic that sets it apart from its companions. This is particularly true of cock sparrows whose fighting instinct causes them to be marked with some wing or tail feathers awry or scarred about the head or claws and some by their very dispositions stand out in the crowd—or, correctly speaking, out in the flock. Then, on the other hand there are Biddy sparrows as tidy and nice mannered as well behaved little girls.

While no determining checkup is possible, it may readily be assumed that the multitudes of sparrows seen here at present, will not remain here the year around. Large numbers of them live at the city dump and others in weed grown areas along the river. Heavy snows have covered up their food supply and shelter and they naturally come to town where conditions are more favorable.

Once, when we had thrown out some cornmeal for the sparrows a starling plunged into the melee. But it soon found itself at a decided disadvantage. Its long, sharply pointed beak and its stately ways was no match for the fast maneuvering sparrows. Finally it laid the side of its head flat on the ground, opened its beak as wide as it could and then scooped in a mawful. Seeing how well this scheme worked, it put the run on the sparrows and then finished its feast in satisfying, if not dignified, leisure.

The roof of the Daily Press office offers a better than average feeding ground for these birds.

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## Manistique News

WILL DEDICATE  
CHURCH ORGAN  
Will Serve As Memorial  
To Former Members  
Of Congregation

Dedication of the new two manual pipe organ, which was recently installed, will be made at the Zion Lutheran church with appropriate services next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

The Rev. T. E. Johnstone, of Ironwood, president of the Superior Conference of the Augustana Lutheran Synod, will preach the dedicatory sermon.

The organ was presented to the church through a bequest left by the late Miss Lillian A. Carlson who stipulated that it be installed in the church as a memorial to her parents, the late John O. and Anna Carlson, for many years members of the Zion Lutheran congregation.

Following is the order of the services for that time:

Organ Prelude, Mrs. Harry Ahstrom, Organist

Introit, "The Lord Is In His Holy Temple."

Hymn, "Christ the Life"

Opening service at the altar

Hymn, "Merciful Savior"

The Gospel for the day

Confession of Faith

Anthem, "My God and I" (Sergei) Senior choir

Offering, selected

Doxology

Hymn, "My Faith Looks Up To Thee"

Sermon, Rev. T. E. Johnstone, Ironwood, president of Superior Conference

Anthem, "Gloria" (Mozart) Senior choir

Presentation of new Pipe Organ Mr. J. Mauritz Carlson

Acceptance of Organ, Rev. G. A. Herbst

Dedication of Organ, Rev. T. E. Johnstone

Hymn, "Now Thank We All Our God"

Benediction, Amen-Amen-Amen

Postlude.

Farther Lights  
Society Presents  
Play Sunday P.M.

A playlet, entitled "Weaving the Tapestry of Missions", will be presented by the Farther Lights society at the First Baptist church on Sunday evening at 7:30.

The cast of the play is as follows:

Mrs. E. T. King, woman

Mrs. Lawrence Strassler, weaver

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Schobert and several young people, the family.

Readers: Miss Eefie Carrington, Mrs. Wallace Severs and Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Schobert

Songs by Mrs. Lillian Boyd

Program Leader, Mrs. H. H. Seeger

Musician, Mrs. Walter Linderoth

This playlet, which is very interesting and impressive, was given at the last meeting of the Farther Lights society.

Also planned to be shown at the church that evening will be the movie film, "The Road We Walk," a picture produced on behalf of Church World Service which will show actual scenes of distribution of food and clothing to destitute people in war torn areas of Europe. The goods shown is that which has been actually donated for that purpose by church people, of various denominations in America.

Former Manistique  
Resident Winner In  
\$100 Prize Contest

A feature story in a Detroit newspaper dealing with a \$100 prize award given a former resident of Manistique, kept many local readers of that paper guessing as to who that certain Mrs. Amelia Rod might be.

It is now learned that Mrs. Rod is the former Miss Amelia Lasich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lasich of 352 North Cedar street. Her experience story which won

## Munising News

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Tiernan Is Held  
To Circuit Court

Munising—William Tiernan jr., has been bound over to the Circuit Court on charge of breaking and entering in the night time with intent to commit larceny. He is out on bonds of \$1,000.

Police said that he had broken into the Sylvan Inn about 2 a.m. Feb. 12 and took four cases of beer.

## Percy Rites

Munising—Funeral services for Marlene Percy, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Percy, former residents of Munising, were held February 14 at St. Augustine's church in Detroit. Marlene died Feb. 12 after a two year illness caused by a tumor on the brain.

Mrs. Percy was the former Jenny Golisek, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Golisek. Father Additional

Attending the funeral services were Mrs. Sam Golisek, Miss Argene Golisek and Glen Sales.

## Social

## Legion Auxiliary

A regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 83, was held Thursday evening in the Legion hall. Initiation was held, and a large class of candidates were initiated at an impressive ceremony. Mrs. Grace McLaughlin acted as initiating officer. Each candidate was presented with an American flag and a poppy. During the program Mrs. Nellie Ott sang "Lilac Time," accompanied by Mrs. Mary Arrowood. Mrs. Agnes Kristofferson gave a tongue twister, and Mrs. Gladys Mercier gave a reading on Washington and Lincoln. It was voted at this meeting that the balance of the \$500 pledge to the hospital fund be paid. It was also decided to hold a rummage sale the first week of April. Five hundred was played later with prizes going to Lalla Martin, high, and Grace Collier, second. In other games Bernetta Bouchard, received high, and Ethel Burns, second. A delicious lunch was served later by hostesses: Grace McLaughlin, Loretta Rasmussen, Nellie Ott, and decorated with red, white, and blue streamers, matching tapers, and blue streamers, matching tapers, and red roses. The next meeting will be held March 4 with the following as hostesses: M. Arrowood, M. Cool, B. Johnson, and I. Johnson.

## Catherine's Party

Catherine Evonich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Evonich, celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary on Thursday afternoon at her home on Arbutus avenue. The afternoon was spent in playing games and prizes were awarded. A delicious lunch was served later from a table which was centered with a large decorated birthday cake. Catherine received many nice gifts from the following friends: Wally and Esther Popour, Harriet LaFolie, Joan and Sally Creighton, Louise and Robert Berger, Mary Agnes Gorsche, Marlene Pizzala, Judy Muller, Parrene Miller, Robert and Irvin Lambert, Clifford Lambert, Steven Anderson, Karen Buelow, Caroline Hubbard, Patsy, Raymond and Billy DeRousha, Hiram Peterson, Mary Jane MacLean, Jean and Dick Robertson, Gordon Vertz, Bobby Swanson, Ervin Bremer, Melvin Riley, Sue Ann Emmerman, Chuck Kerridge, and Charles Babcock.

## Bowling Notes

LaFolie Mens' League—

Monday, Schultz B's vs Barnes Hotel; Kirby Cleaners vs Hewitt Grocer.

Tuesday, Manistique Tool vs Blatz Flins; M. & M. vs. Liberty Loan.

Thursday, Nortons Grocery vs Farmers Implement.

Friday, Homer's Bar vs. Estrens Rustlers; Coffey Fish vs Christy's Bar.

Saturday, Elkberg's Tavern vs Barnes Service.

LaFolie Ladies—

Wednesday Eat Shop vs. Heinz IGA; Hi-Top Moon; vs. Homer's Bar.

Thursday, Martin Insurance vs. Northern Woolens, Pavia's vs. Barnes Service.

Monday—Martin Insurance vs. Teachers.

Wednesday—Miller Lumber vs. Cardinals; Hot Shots vs. Hewitts.

Thursday—Michigan Dimension vs. Braut's; Tobys vs. Garden Corners.

Friday—Pulp & Paper vs. Our Own; Bombers vs. Ponkys.

Saturday—Billy Goats vs. McNallys.

Germfask Youth  
Enlists In Army

Emerson Archey, 19 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Archey, of Germfask, left Wednesday for Fort Sheridan, Ill., where he will enter army service.

the prize is an account of how she as a girl in Manistique, felt an uncontrollable urge to go to Detroit to make her home. At the very same time, her future husband a resident of a small town in North Dakota felt the same urge. Their paths merged a few days after their arrival in that city and their marriage followed. This romance, well told, earned the \$100 prize.

It is now learned that Mrs. Rod is the former Miss Amelia Lasich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lasich of 352 North Cedar street. Her experience story which won



TOM BOLGER  
Manager

## GLADSTONE

FIRE DAMAGES  
PELKEY HOME

Overheated Furnace Is  
Believed Cause  
Of Blaze

Fire, believed to have been caused by an overheated furnace, caused considerable damage to the home of Ralph Pelkey at 1203 Delta avenue yesterday morning.

Two hoses were laid to quell the stubborn blaze and firemen were on the job from 9:40 to about 11:10 a.m.

In addition to the loss caused by fire there was considerable damage from water and smoke.

The loss was said to be covered by insurance.

## City Briefs

Mrs. Harvey Groleau, Mrs. Wm. McCormick and Mrs. Laura Jacobson motored to Menominee Thursday and spent the day with friends.

Mrs. F. S. Patton has returned home after visiting in Minneapolis with her daughter.

Out-of-town relatives who have returned to their homes after attending funeral services of Oscar Bastian are: Leona and Howard Bastian, Manitowoc, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Porath and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Bastian, Hyde Park, Mich., John, Andrew and Jerry Drum, Banat, Mich., and Mr. Ed. Goodreau, Bay View.

Miss Genevieve Belongie, student nurse at Misericordia hospital, Milwaukee, Wis., is vacationing for three weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Belongie.

Mrs. Burt Ames has been dismissed from St. Francis hospital and is convalescing at her home. found \$30 down between two counters and Savidge immediately was notified.

Bank Restores \$30  
Lost For 2 Years

Muskegon, Mich. (AP) — Michael Savidge, pressman at the Diana Printing Company, has \$30 he lost two years ago because of the long memories of Muskegon Savings Bank officials.

Two years ago Savidge cashed a check at the bank but when he reached his home \$30 was missing. Bank officials were notified and a count taken of the money received that day. The bank did not have \$30 over, however.

Resigned to his loss, Savidge decided the money was gone forever.

During an alteration program at the bank Thursday officials

DISCUSS TREND  
IN EDUCATION

Teachers Meet With Guy  
Hill, Geo. Gilbert  
Thursday

George Gilbert, Marquette, deputy superintendent of Public Instruction for the Upper Peninsula, and Dr. Guy Hill of Michigan State College, East Lansing, met here Thursday afternoon with members of the public school faculty.

"Modern Trends in Education" was the theme of the meeting.

Next Wednesday, Wm. G. Robinson of the Extension Division of the University of Michigan will visit Gladstone to make a survey on our recreation facilities.

Sup't Wallace C. Cameron said Mr. Robinson would also meet with the local recreation board and make recommendations of how we can improve our recreation program here.

Announce Standings  
Of Ladies' League

Herb's is leading the Thursday night ladies bowling league with a one-game margin over Lee's. Three other teams are deadlocked for third.

League standings:

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Herb's	11	7	.611
Lee's	10	8	.556
Campbell's	9	9	.500
Corner	9	9	.500
DuRoy's	9	9	.500
Charlies	6	12	.333

High ten bowlers are M. Naylor 138, S. Welden 137, N. Salmi 128, V. Larson 125, A. Fostering 121, B. Larson 119, A. Westlund 119, E. Vittala 119, E. Weingartner 119, I. Ketola 116 and L. Weingartner 116.

To Sing—The Senior choir of the Memorial Methodist church will sing two anthems at the 11 o'clock service on Sunday morning, "For Love of Thee" by Lorenz and "Glory in Excelsis" by Mozart.

## Briefly Told

Boy Scouts—Boy Scouts of the First Lutheran church meet Monday night at 7 o'clock for a regular session.

Legion Auxiliary — A regular meeting of the Legion Auxiliary is to be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Legion hall. A social will follow. The Mmes. J. Alphonse Belongie.

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It could carry 30 passengers on short trips and accommodate 20 overnight. The Army finally raised enough to buy it.

Patrick Paul of Angoon, an expert marine navigator-engineer and a Salvationist, is skipper of the "Phoebe" plowing the canals in Holland and the "Catherine Booth," a familiar sight in Norway's fjords.

But pride of the fleet is here—the "William Booth," a 64-foot twin-screw diesel cabin cruiser with stove, stainless steel sinks, an electric refrigerator system, a deep freeze unit, showers and lavatories and a five-channel ship-to-shore radio-telephone.

The radio-telephone is one of the most important parts of the ship because it will be doing rescue work along distant Alaskan waterways.

It has taken two years and thousands of pennies — \$30,000 worth — from Sunday school children to get the Salvation Army's Alaskan "fleet" in operation.

Brigadier Chester Taylor, Sal-

vationist commander in Juneau, decided in 1946 that the Army's work here was hampered because it couldn't reach isolated villages. He asked for a boat which would cost \$20,000 to build.

Sunday school students in the U. S. and Alaska banded together to pay for various parts of the boat — some the keel, others the cabin, the radio, the planking, the chapel, etc.

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# Escanaba Tips Manistique; Marquette Spanks Gladstone Braves

## St. Joe, Bark River Tangle Tonight; Hawks, Newberry Clash Sunday

### EMERALD FIVE BOWS, 43-34

Abrahamson, Gustafson Lead Eskimos In Scoring

Escanaba's smooth floor game and efficient passing attack was too much for Manistique as the Eskimos registered a 43-34 triumph before a large crowd in the junior high school gym last night. The Emeralds fought back hard in the last half but couldn't overcome a 14-point edge built up by the Eskimos in the opening half.

Twice during the third quarter, Escanaba had a 17-point margin and appeared to be well on the way to posting a decidedly one-sided victory, but each time Don Carlson and Everett Patz sparked Manistique drives that kept the Emeralds within range.

Four times during the last quarter, the visitors whittled Escanaba's lead to nine points, once at 32-23, again at 35-26 and 38-29 and the final score of 43-34, but they couldn't come any closer than that.

#### Start Out Fast

Carlson, Manistique sharpshooter, proved himself to be a two-handed twisting shot expert. He dropped five of them and added four charity tosses to take high scoring honors with 14 points. Once, he swooped up a loose ball, went into the air, twisted and dropped a swisher in one continuous motion.

With the exception of Carlson, Patz and little Johnny Hockstein, however, the Emeralds took too many hurried, "hope" shots. By contrast, the Eskimos worked the ball in for shots that had at least a 50-50 chance of going in.

The Eskimos started out like a house afire. When the score was 8-1 at the outset, the home five hadn't missed a shot. Warren Gustafson, Ray Hirn and Gary Abrahamson had each shot once at the basket and made it, and "Abe" and "Moose" had each shot once from the free throw line and made it.

Things leveled off fast after that, however, as the Emeralds pulled up to within 9-6 at the half.

With Dick Lough suited up but sidelined throughout the game with a mouth injury, Coach Jim Rouman's most effective combination last night was Gustafson at center, Ron Johnson and Hirn at forwards and Jim Deane and Abrahamson bringing the ball up. On defense, the Eskimos took advantage of what height they have by working Gustafson, Johnson and Hirn on rebounds.

#### Abrams Stars

The Eskimos did most of their damage in the second quarter when they piled up 14 points to take a 14-point edge over the Emeralds at the half. Gustafson rang up two lay-up shots. Deane contributed a long field goal and two gratis heaves and Johnson and Hirn each collected a field goal and free toss to compile the 14 counters.

But it was Abrahamson who sparked the Eskimos in the last half when the Emeralds were threatening. The little fellow with the deadly one-handed push shot was a threat anywhere near the basket. He topped the Eskimo scorers with 10 points, garnered on three field goals and four out of five free throws. Big Gus was just a shade behind, tallying nine counter on four field goals and one charity toss.

#### Sports Before Your Eyes

The Norfolk Sports Club is polling golf writers on their choice of pros who play each type of shot best in order to pick teams for a unique event at Virginia Beach in which player will play only his "specialty" shots.

#### Second Generation

Three of the athletes who'll compete in the intercollegiate A.A.A.A. indoor meet next week are sons of former Olympic champions—Fred Tootel, Rhode Island State coach and Olympic hammer throw winner in 1924, will watch his son, Geoffrey, put the shot for Harvard... Tom Foss, Cornell pole vaulter, is the son of Frank, who won the same event at the 1920 Olympics and J. Rodney Meredith, Yale quarter miler, is the son of Ted, 1912 Olympic 800 meters champ.

In the preliminary game, the Manistique reserves defeated the Escanaba ninth graders, 32-18.

Summary: 

	F	G	F	M	P
Johnson	2	0	1	4	
Pryor	0	0	0	0	2
Deane	0	0	0	0	3
O'Connell	0	0	0	0	4
Gustafson	4	1	0	0	3
Deane	1	2	0	0	0
Pearson	1	0	1	1	1
Abrahamson	3	4	1	2	1
Carlson	0	0	0	0	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>21</b>

Summary: 

	F	G	F	M	P
Patz	1	2	1	5	
Smith	0	0	0	0	5
Golat	0	0	0	0	2
LaBrasseur	0	0	4	4	4
Witbeck	2	3	2	2	2
Heckstad	3	2	3	2	2
R. Carlson	0	3	2	2	0
McFarlane	0	0	0	0	0
D. Carlson	5	4	2	4	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>43</b>

Summary: 

	F	G	F	M	P
Escanaba	9	14	9	11	43
Manistique	6	3	9	16	34
<b>Referee:</b> Al Rudness.					
<b>Umpire:</b> Matt Vanni.					

### Burnette, Ostertag Make Opening Bid In Chicago Monday

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### Norden Leads Rock To 47-39 Triumph Over Harris Five

### GRAVERAETS ON TOP BY 45-26

Nystrom Sets Pace With 20 Points; Gillis Collects 10

Bark River, Feb. 21—Jim and Vernon Good chunked in 29 points between them last night but Norden's 22 points for Rock was a bit too much to overcome as Rock put a 47-39 triumph over Bark River-Harris in a Central U. P. D-E Basketball league game.

Just when Harris managed to step out in front, Norden came through with a couple of swishes to put Rock ahead. Rock held a 16-14 margin at halftime and stretched it to 31-22 in the third quarter. Harris fought back hard in the finale, outscoring Rock, 17-16, but there was Mr. Norden again with his dependable swishes.

In the preliminary, Rock junior high tipped Harris junior high, 24-17.

Summary: 

	F	G	F	M	P
Bark River-Harris	2	1	3	1	
Good	4	3	3	3	
Bartocek	0	0	0	3	
Norden	2	1	1	3	
J. Good	2	3	5	3	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>43</b>

Rock Valem... 4 2 4 4

Nystrom... 10 0 0 0

Chubb... 1 0 0 0

Lindberg... 1 0 0 0

**Totals**... 21 3 4 16

FG F FM PF

Gladstone... 1 5 3 1

Brown... 0 0 0 1

Gillis (c) 3 4 2 2

Johnson... 1 2 0 1

Rajala... 0 0 0 0

Siebert... 0 0 2 0

Peterson... 0 0 0 0

Alwarden... 0 0 0 0

Legault... 1 0 0 0

**Totals**... 7 12 8 5

FG F FM PF

Bark River-Harris... 8 6 8 17

Rock... 9 15 16 47

Referee: Chambers, Menominee.

Umpire: Rubick, Manistique.

Summary: 

	F	G	F	M	P
Gladstone	1	5	3	1	
Madden	1	0	0	0	
Brown	0	0	0	1	
Gillis (c)	3	4	2	2	
Johnson	1	2	0	1	
Rajala	0	0	0	0	
Siebert	0	0	2	0	
Peterson	0	0	0	0	
Alwarden	0	0	0	0	
Legault	1	0	0	0	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>45</b>

FG F FM PF

Bark River-Harris... 19 9 17 39

Rock... 11 13 22 59

Referee: Chambers, Menominee.

Umpire: Rubick, Manistique.

Summary: 

	F	G	F	M	P
Powers	2	4	4	2	
Corriveau	7	4	2	3	
Peterson	2	0	0	0	
Furlick	5	5	4	2	
Farley	3	4	1	2	
Fochesat	1	1	0	1	
Futherford	2	2	0	0	
Lombard	1	0	0	1	
Whitens	0	0	0	0	
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FG F FM PF

Hermannsville... 18 13 15 59

Referee: Neverman.

Umpire: Leczniski.

### Detroit Lons Talk To Mann and Ford

Detroit, Feb. 21 (AP)—Their coaching problem solved with the signing of Alvin N. (Bo) McMillin, the Detroit Lions of the National Football League today moved into the business of catching up in the scramble for playing talent.

In a move that president Lyle E. Fife said had McMillin's blessing, the Lions called in Michigan's two brilliant Negro ends, Leonard Ford and Bob Mann, for a contract conference yesterday but no papers were signed.

Ford, husky 6-foot 5-inch defensive powerhouse from Washington, D. C., and Mann, stellar New Bern, N. C., pass grabber of the "Wolverines" unbeaten Rose Bowl champions of last season, listened to the offers and headed back to Ann Arbor to discuss them with their college coach, H. O. (Fritz) Crisler.

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## TRIO HELD FOR CIRCUIT COURT

Woman, Two Men Bound Over On Various Charges

Three persons arraigned in justice court Friday on different charges were bound over to circuit court, each on \$1,000 bond. All were committed to the county jail when they failed to provide bond.

Henry Hallfrisch, 26, Escanaba, waived examination on a charge of arson, the result of two fires that Hallfrisch has confessed setting at 804 Ludington street.

Milton Carlson waived examination on a charge of forgery. He is accused of forging the signature of James Degan to a check in the amount of \$32.50 cashed at the J. C. Penny company store in Escanaba.

Mrs. Phyllis Lemerand, Ford River, was bound over to circuit court following a preliminary examination on a charge of desertion and abandonment of four minor children. Police also are seeking her husband, Willard, who is reported to be residing in Milwaukee. Mrs. Lemerand was arrested in Milwaukee recently.

## Flood Crest Rises At Greenwood, Miss.; Town Believed Safe

Greenwood, Miss., Feb. 21. (P)—Crest of the Yazoo river flood will reach Greenwood sometime today but Army engineers say there is no danger to the town.

"The levees should hold with 24-hour work," Engineer Capt. K. E. McLaughlin said last night.

McLaughlin said they expected a 40-foot crest at Greenwood. That would be only one-tenth of a foot under the record of 40.1 feet set in 1946. Flood stage is 35 feet.

The general delta flood is "flattening out," however, and the engineer said he expected no more trouble after today.

High waters so far have inundated more than 400,000 acres of cotton and timberland but, with planting season a month off, growers see little if any damage to their plantations.

## Senator Vandenberg Called Best Bet To Unite Republicans

East Orange, N. J., Feb. 21. (P)—U. S. Sen. Wayne A. Morse (R-Ore.) says Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg (R-Mich.) would be the "best presidential candidate to unite the Republican party and lead it to victory" this year.

Vandenberg "is the most desirable dark horse we have," Morse said in a "conference" and not a "convention."



BEER-DRINKERS BLINKED—Residents of Elgin, Ill., cast suspicious eyes at local brewery yesterday when the Fox River started flowing through town with a head on it (shown above). After a few sniffs and a quick look at the Kimball street dam, members of the beer-drinking

set found the cause of the phenomenon. Cold water pouring over the dam during an exceptionally mild and spring-like day plunged back into cold water at the dam's base. The result was a head of foam that, in some places, reached a height of 15 feet. (NEA Telephoto)

## Library Adventure

By Arnold Mulder

It is just one hundred years ago that "Jane Eyre" was published. In the course of 1948, it may be expected, most of the literary magazines in England and America will call attention to the centenary. This little article may be in the vanguard of a long procession.

Today, of course, all literate people know about "Jane Eyre" and its author Charlotte Bronte. In 1848, almost no one knew about it or her. The author's own father, a clergyman at Haworth, England, did not know that his clever daughter had written a novel until the proofs of the book arrived while she was nursing her in a hospital to which he had been confined for threatened blindness.

## NEW MICHIGAN GROUP WORKS FOR WALLACE

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Today's meeting, Sayler emphasized, is a "conference" and not a "convention."

### Full Ticket Considered

"This meeting is open to anyone," he said. "Later in the year, we will have a regular convention with elected delegates."

"No one knows yet whether we will have a full ticket on the ballot," he explained. "Our supporters in each congressional and legislative district will decide for themselves whether they want to put forward a Wallace candidate. We will decide later whether to have a state ticket. But we will have Wallace's name on the Michigan ballot."

Emphasis, speakers said, will be on a "grass roots" campaign organization in every community or precinct.

The party leaders have set up headquarters in a three room suite in Detroit with Sayler and two stenographers on the payroll. They are pumping out literature, speakers and Wallace buttons.

They plan to call their party the "Progressive party."

Sayler is a former director of the business tycoon who started on a "shoestring" may be the radio station owner of the future who starts on a half dollar. The "half-dollar radio station" was demonstrated to the local section of the Institute of Radio Engineers by Dr. Cledo Brunetti, engineer at the National Bureau of Standards.

Dr. Brunetti is the man who carries a whole "network" of radio broadcasting transmitters around in his pockets. He built a radio transmitter which fits conveniently in an empty lipstick container. His "calling card radio" is on a thin plastic card the size of a calling card. And the half-dollar broadcasting unit is on a square which would barely cover a 50-cent piece.

The thin plastic square measures one and one-quarter inches each way. Flat painted lines form the circuits instead of the wires which are in your radio. Tiny tubes are soldered to the flat surface. Small batteries such as are used in hearing aids supply the power for the submarine station.

But the engineer is even more proud of one of his larger models, a vest-pocket transmitter and receiver which is a duplicate of one Dr. Brunetti presented to President Truman.

## Mink and Fox Pelt Sale Is Scheduled

Milwaukee, Wis.—A total of 34,000 mink and silver fox skins, 7,000 muskrats, 7,500 raccoons and smaller quantities of marten, skunk, spotted skunk, weasel, cross and red fox and rabbit will be placed on sale here at the American National Cooperative Fur Auction Feb. 24 to 26.

The sale will be the third of the season.

Included in the 14,000 silver fox collection will be 2,000 glamorous platinum and 1,500 white face silvers. The 20,000 mink collection will include standard darks, black blonds and wild skins.

"We are expecting a good attendance of New York, Chicago, Milwaukee and other buyers at this sale," said Dr. L. J. O'Reilly, president of the American National Fur Breeders Association, "for the quantities of silver fox and mink are the largest the auction has offered so far this season."

"Mutation minks," he said, "will be offered in the April sale."

## Search Continues For Flint Airmen Lost on Thursday

East Lansing, Mich., Feb. 21. (P)—A search was resumed today for two Flint men missing since Thursday when they took off in a small plane to fly from Houghton Lake to Flint.

Six planes from Selfridge Field and a state police craft, along with 27 civilian pilots, began hunting yesterday for Dr. C. W. Muntry, a Flint dentist, and his pilot, Ivan E. Martin.

Darkness halted the exhaustive search concentrated in the Bay City area, but the military and civilian planes took up the hunt again today.

Martin, co-owner of the Flint Flying Service based at Bishop airport, was reported to have had only enough fuel for three hours of flying when he took off near Dr. Murray's hunting cabin Thursday morning.

William S. Gilmor, New York radio commentator and member of the national Wallace committee, was to be the keynote today.

Sayler said Lee Plessman, former general counsel of the CIO ousted by President Philip Murray, would attend and speak if he could make it.

The chairman was to be Clark H. Bourman of the Western Michigan College of Education faculty.

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## BELGIANS GIVEN NEW BEDSHEETS

### Army Colonel Pays Back Villagers Who Helped War Camouflage

Hemroulle, Belgium, Feb. 21. (P)—The people of Hemroulle got their bedsheets back today from the Americans.

Col. John Hanlon of Winchester, Mass., presented each of the 24 Hemroulle villagers with a pair of crisp new bedsheets in the name of his fellow townsmen.

It was a day of joy for this tiny snow-covered hamlet three miles north of Bastogne. The church bells pealed, bugles sounded and the children waved Belgian and American flags.

They called it "Winchester Day." This is the story behind the celebration:

On Christmas Eve in 1944 Col. Hanlon, then a major commanding the First Battalion of the 502nd Parachute Infantry, dropped out of the skies with his men onto the snow-covered fields surrounding Hemroulle.

It was during the critical battle of the bulge.

Hanlon went to the church and summoned the villagers by tolling the bell. He explained the Americans needed camouflage to hide them from the Germans.

The villagers went to their homes and returned with precious snow-white bedsheets. Hanlon promised the sheets would be returned.

Today Hanlon fulfilled his promise. He presented each of the villagers with a pair of crisp new bedsheets—the gift of the people of Winchester.

## SOUTH FIGHTS TRUMAN CIVIL RIGHTS SETUP

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also were represented.

### MacArthur Steps In

Other political developments:

A congressional flareup involving Gen. Douglas MacArthur apparently became a no-decision affair when the general himself stepped into it.

Some members of the House Foreign Affairs Committee wanted to invite MacArthur to Washington to testify on aid to China.

But other committee members cried "politics." They said any such visit would be used to start bombing the general for the Republican presidential nomination.

It was developing into quite a fight until MacArthur spoke up from Tokyo. He said he's too busy to make the trip and added that he hopes the committee will drop the whole thing.

But MacArthur was still being backed for the GOP nomination elsewhere.

In Chicago, former Illinois Treasurer Warren Wright said he is going to open a National MacArthur-for-President headquarters in Washington.

Henry A. Wallace returned from a southern speaking trip with the opinion that no "major split" in the Democratic party is likely to result from the Civil Rights battle.

As for his own third party, he told reporters at Newark, N. J.:

"It looks better all the time, but it's still young."

## Parents Save Son From Hungry Eagle At Carlsbad, N. M.

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Carlsbad, N. M., Feb. 21. (P)—A pair of pliers and a bed slate were the weapons used by a Carlsbad couple to save their four-year-old son from an eagle's clutches.

The mother, Mrs. C. J. Reinhart, told it this way:

The child was playing in the yard while she hung out a wash. Suddenly, the big bird appeared and dug its talons into her son's head.

For a minute she pulled in vain at the eagle's legs, then ran to the house.

Returning with a pair of pliers, she jerked the talons free, snatched up her son and rushed him to a doctor. Three talons had pierced the child's skin.

In the meantime, her husband had returned home. Reinhart beat the bird to death with a bed slate.

### HIT-RUN KILLER HUNTED

Grand Haven (P)—State Police and Muskegon county sheriff's officers are hunting a hit-run driver whose car killed 10-year-old Charles Perrin of Muskegon Heights and injured his young companion Friday as the boys rode bicycles on US-31 two miles north of here. Norman Wiseman, 13, of Muskegon, was taken to Municipal Hospital here with undetermined head and leg injuries.

"Sold the first day" said Jones.

and are begging for Government help. Every business should expect poor years and good years and it is only reasonable to expect all producers to lay aside a portion of their profits in good years to make up losses in poor years.

### Lessons To All

I traveled widely throughout the agricultural sections of our country. Farmers, ranchers, fruit growers and others in most sections have been making a lot of money during the last few years. These fortunate people have, however, been spending money carelessly, believing that good times will always continue. As a result, now that hard times have come, they have no financial reserves

## Tony Popish, Former Manistique Lifer, Is Accused Of Murder

Marquette, Feb. 21. (P)—Tony Popish, 65, who gained notoriety in 1929 when he was sentenced to serve life in the Marquette prison on the so-called "Life for a Pint" case in which his conviction of federal liquor law violation was his fourth felony, was arraigned in municipal court here today on a warrant charging him with first degree murder.

His arrest followed investigation by state police of the death Feb. 8, of Frank Mehich, 61, a cripple, with whom Popish lived

in a house in Trowbridge Park, near this city.

Neighbors who called at the house that afternoon to buy eggs from Popish, found Mehich's body in a bedroom and it appeared that Mehich, crippled for some time by arthritis, had committed suicide by shooting himself with a single-barrel shotgun.

When state police investigated, however, their suspicions were aroused when the neighbors said Popish was outside the house feeding his chickens when they arrived and told them he did not know Mehich was dead, although he said he had been home since one o'clock that morning.

Popish was arrested and taken to the county jail last night. Denied, the officers said, that he killed Mehich or had any knowledge of the cause of his death, Popish will be taken to Lansing next week for a polygraph (lie detector) test.

The "Life For a Pint" case in which Popish was involved developed in 1929 when he was a resident of Manistique. He had been convicted of three felonies prior to his arrest there for prohibition law violation, a felony under federal law, and was sentenced Jan. 19, 1929, to serve life in the Marquette prison under the four-felony law. The life sentence was commuted in 1930 to 7½ to 15 years and Popish was released on parole in 1935 for parole violation and released upon expiration of his sentence.

## Traffic Restored After Rail Wreck; One Dead, 34 Hurt

Portsmouth, O., Feb. 21. (P)—Trains were running again over the Norfolk & Western Railway's double-track main line east of here today, less than 24 hours after a wreck ripped up the roadbed.

The accident, which occurred when the east-bound streamliner "Powhatan Arrow" jumped a switch, killed Fireman Robert F. Maiden, 57, of Portsmouth and injured 34 persons.

All but three of the injured had been released from hospitals to day. Those still being treated included Mrs. Jeanette Donaldson of Detroit who was in a Portsmouth hospital.

Engineer George Raines of Portsmouth said steam on his windshield apparently obstructed his view of a signal warning of a switch to another track. He was traveling about 80 miles an hour when he hit the switch.

You can figure on three or four servings from a duck that weighs 5 pounds.

## Briefly Told

**Lions Meeting** — A special program on tuberculosis will be presented at the meeting of the Escanaba Lions club Monday night at the Sherman hotel. There will be an address by a high school student and Dr. William Harrison will present a film on tuberculosis. Amateur boxers who participated in the Golden Gloves tournament also are invited as guests of the club Monday. They are asked to report at 6:45 p. m.

## MacPhail, Rickey Renew Feuding

New York, Feb. 21. (P)—Larry MacPhail and Branch Rickey were embroiled today in a sizzling word-fest concerning the admittance of negro players into Major league baseball.

MacPhail, former New York Yankees co-owner, said crisply that Rickey "was lying" if he claimed 15 big league clubs had opposed entry of negroes into the majors.

Rickey, president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, replied that MacPhail's statement, released in Miami Beach, Fla., contained "distortions, untruths and inventions."

Both have mixed it before in baseball matters.

## Wolverines Must Beat Gopher Five

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 21. (P)—Michigan, out for its first Western Conference Basketball championship in a decade, tackles fourth-place Minnesota at Minneapolis tonight.

Sporting but a slender percentage lead over Wisconsin and Iowa, currently tied for second place, the Michigan Wolverines are in the position of having to win to keep an undisputed lead in the Big Nine race.

Michigan was able to bottle up Jim McIntyre, top conference scorer, and hold him to a mere 16 points, in tripping the Gophers here 43-41 early last month.

## ARMED VS. ASSAULT